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US 6478000 B2	20021112	Valve timing control apparatus and method for internal combustion engine	123/90.17	123/90.15	Ishii; Yoshikazu et al.
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B1		method and rotary hearth furnace		432/27; 75/474; 75/477	Makoto et al.
US 6130515 A	20001010	Positioning control unit	318/567	318/568.1; 318/569	Nishimura; Makoto
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A		of a damping force adjusting type		188/322.13	Takao et al.
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A		assembly			Makoto
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